Access to eResources (Visitor)

Introduction
We offer access to a comprehensive range of online journals and databases to Library and Archives visitors in both our South Kensington and Tring public reading rooms.

Who can access our eResources?
Any registered Library and Archives visitor can use the walk-in eResource service. These resources are only to be used for educational purposes, such as teaching, distance learning, private study and research. If you are unsure if this covers your use of these resources, please contact us.

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Biodiversity Heritage Library (BHL) – any items available via BHL are free to access, no need to visit us or sign in.

Titles available
Due to licensing conditions, we are unable to offer access to all of our online resources to non-staff members, so please confirm the availability of the e-journal or database you require before your visit by sending a list of the items you wish to view. Please refer to our Placing a Reading Room request guide.

Service availability
Visitor access to our eResource collection is available at the South Kensington and Tring Reading Rooms. Please check our opening hours and supporting pages for information on booking a visit before you arrive.

Access to the eResource service may be restricted at busy times and is provided on a strict first-come-first-served basis using dedicated terminals in the Reading Rooms.

Additional support and resources
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